

Dubai Diamond Export Jump

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Dubai's diamond exchange saw rough imports rise 16% to \$6.3 billion, according to data provided to Rapaport News. By volume, the imports increased 13% to 70.1 million carats, and the average price grew 2% to \$89.76 per carat.

Rough exports by value jumped 29% to \$9.77 billion, with the volume of exports rising 26% to 79.9 million carats. The average price of the exports grew 3% to \$122.20 per carat, showing a 36% margin over the average price of imports.